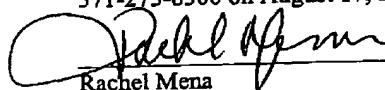


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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action mailed May 25, 2005, please enter the following amendment and consider the following remarks. This response is timely filed requesting a Petition for Extension of Time for two months with necessary fees.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.
Remarks/arguments begin on page 33 of this paper.